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Mr. Julio Vazquez
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Re: Monthly Progress Report – December 2021
Group B Respondents for Central Plume:
(Arkwin Industries, Inc., Tishcon Corporation and Patel Trust July 29, 1977)
Group C Respondents for Eastern Plume:
(101 Frost Street Associates, L.P. and Next Millennium Realty LLC)
New Cassel Hicksville Groundwater Contamination Superfund Site - Operable Unit 1
Unilateral Administrative Order for a Remedial Design - Index No. CERCLA-02- 2018-2015



Dear Mr. Vasquez:

On behalf of the above referenced Group B & C Respondents, and in accordance with the Statement of Work attached to the above referenced Unilateral Administrative Order (UAO), this letter transmits the December 2021 Monthly Progress Report for the New Cassel Hicksville Groundwater Contamination Superfund Site - Operable Unit 1 (Site).

OPERABLE UNIT 1 REMEDIAL DESIGN

Both the Group B (Central Plume) & Group C (Eastern Plume) Respondents continued making plans to implement the PDI in accordance with the approved work plans with work beginning in late Winter/ Spring 2022. The Group B Respondents contacted Nassau County Department of Public Works and the Town of Hempstead to determine if access to County- or Town-owned property is feasible for storage areas for drilling equipment and supplies that are needed to complete the next phase of the PDI.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES – January 2022

Both the Group B (Central Plume) & Group C (Eastern Plume) Respondents will continue making plans and develop the schedule to implement the PDI in accordance with the approved work plans with work beginning in late Winter/ Spring 2022. Schedule a call with EPA and/or the Town of Hempstead to determine public outreach requirements as part of upcoming field mobilization activities.

If you should have any questions or wish to discuss the content of this progress report, please do not hesitate to call me at (631) 756-8920.

Sincerely,

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